

## Understanding Water Baptism

A Sign of \_\_\_\_\_

**Mark 16:16** (NIV)

16 Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned.

What \_\_\_\_\_ Me

**Acts 8:35-36** (ESV)

35 Then Philip opened his mouth, and beginning with this Scripture he told him the good news about Jesus.

36 And as they were going along the road they came to some water, and the eunuch said, "See, here is water! What prevents me from being baptized?"

**Romans 6:4** (NIV)

4 We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.

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**Matthew 28:18-19** (NIV)

18 Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. 19 Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,

A Key to \_\_\_\_\_

**Acts 2:38-39** (NIV)

38 Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. 39 The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off--for all whom the Lord our God will call."

**1 Corinthians 10:1-2** (TLB)

1 For we must never forget, dear brothers, what happened to our people in the wilderness long ago. God guided them by sending a cloud that moved along ahead of them; and he brought them all safely through the waters of the Red Sea. 2 This might be called their "baptism"—baptized both in sea and cloud!—as followers of Moses—their commitment to him as their leader.

## Thought for the Week?

Are you ready to go Public?

Are you experiencing the full benefits of your baptism?

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